

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
HAMMOND DIVISION

IN RE:)
)
JACK WEICHMAN,) CASE NO. 08-23482 JPK
) Chapter 11
Debtor.)

ORDER DENYING DEBTOR'S OBJECTION TO MOTION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME TO OBJECT TO EXEMPTIONS ["OBJECTION"]

The Objection, filed on January 7, 2009, is in response to a motion filed on December 22, 2008 by Domenico Lazzaro, Joseph Pabon, M.D., and Associated Pathologists. The motion requests an extension of time to March 21, 2009 to file any objections of those creditors to the debtor's claim of exemptions.

By order entered on January 6, 2009, the court granted the motion for extension of time, providing a deadline of March 2, 2009 for the foregoing creditors to object to the debtor's claim of exemptions. Thus, the Objection was filed after the entry of the court's order by which the motion to which it relates was approved, and the Objection has been mooted by the entry of the order approving the motion. Moreover, the court is well aware of the requirements of Fed.R.Bankr.P. 4003(b)(1), and was satisfied that the motion established "cause" for the requested extension of time. The last full paragraph of the Objection asserts that the motion "only causes unnecessary delay in this case", a contention which the court deems to lack substance in view of the fact that the Chapter 11 case was filed 2½ months ago and has just begun to get off the ground.

For the foregoing reasons, the Objection is denied.

IT IS ORDERED that the Objection is denied.

Dated at Hammond, Indiana on January 15, 2009.

/s/ J. Philip Klingeberger
J. Philip Klingeberger, Judge
United States Bankruptcy Court

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